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ENEMY GETTING WORN

Moscow Rebels Shot—French, Italians And Australians All Score Good—German's Collossal Nerve

SENATORS PLAN DRY U. S. FOR JANUARY 1

WASHINGTON, July 8.—Legislation to prohibit the sale of distilled liquors, wines and beer after the first of January, 1919 and to prohibit the manufacture of wine and beer arter November 1, 1918, was agreed upon today by the Senate agriculture committee.

The legislation is proposed as a substitute for the pending Norris amendment to the emergency agricultural appdopriation bill, which would stop the sale of distilled liquor and wine on June 30, 1919, and prohibit the manufacture "of beer three monts after the bill becomes a law.

Provision for the exportation of liquors already produced was considered by the committee and probably will be reported in some form before the senate acts on the amendment.

The changes had been discussed for a number of days, so that when the committee met today action was practically by unanimous consent, without a record vote.

By fixing a definate date after which the sale of liquor would be limited to all intoxicants, members believe that any charge of discrimination would be avoided. They say wine growers would be able to dispose of this year's crop, and the brewers could make use of their entire supply of malt.

CONTINUED SUCCESS FOR ALL THE ALLIES

ROME, July 8.—Italian troops yesterday advanced their front line in the region of Col la Pribie, the Italian war office announced today. In the Monte Grappa region the Italians gained further ground northward of Massik on Sunday.

Eight enemy airplanes were destroyed yesterday in battle.

ONDON, July 8.—Australian soldiers have scored another big success on the Picardy front, advancing their lines over a width of 3000 yards on both sides the Somme river, the war office announced today.

The attack was carreid out last night just north of the Hamel district, where the Australians and the Americans made an advance on the Fourth of July.

PARIS, July 8.—Thre was some activity last night by the artillery on the wehterly side of the Marne salient between the foret of the Villiers and River Marne, today's war office report shows. No infantry engazements took place.

ENGLAND AND U. S. EXCHANGE WAR PLEDGES

WASHINGTON, July 8.—Affirming the closer relationship of the people of Great Britain and the United States, President Wilson replying to a resolution of greeting proposed by WWinston Churchill in London on July 4, this afternoon sent to Viscount Brice a message in which he declared the aims of the two countries to be the same.

The President's reply follows:

"The generous resolution of the great meeting held on the Fourth of July by the citizens of London in celebration of the anniversary of the independence of the United States has been receivd with the deepest appreciation. The people of the United States have entered this war not only with the feeling that its issues are the issues of their own national life and action, but also with a profound sense of their comradship with the other free peoples of the world.

"It is with keen satisfaction that they find themselves associated with the people of the British empire, in a close relationship of understanding and cooperation."

PEACE FEELER BY HUNS IS COLDLY RECEIVED

LONDON, July 8.—A high Austrian official, who is in close touch with Emperor Charles, has made an unsuccessful attempt to open preliminary peace negotiations with the representatives of the allies at Berne, said a Geneva dispatch to th Express today, giving the newspaper Socolo, of Milan, as its authority.

RUSS REVOLUTIONISTS ARE DRIVING OUT THE HUNS

AMSTERDAM, July 8.—The Ukrainian government has resigned and M. Markievich, a socialist federalist, has been sharged with the formation of a new cabinet, according to dispatches reaching here today. The presene foreign minister

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Two Richmond Men Attempt Rape on Berkeley Woman

About 11 o'clock last night a young and pretty woman got on a street car at Oakland and alighted at Stanford avenue, Berkeley, the car being bound for Richmond. As she got off, two men, supposed to be Richmond men, because they had paid their carfare to this city, and had hat checks accordingly, were seen to get up and follow the woman off the car. The conductor noticed the fact but thought nothing of it, until later when the Berkeley police department got in touch with the car barn here and wanted some information.

The News got the report from the local police and rang up the car barn officials, who knew nothing further abont the occurrence than the above, so we got in touch with the Berkeley police station and from them learned that the lady, whose name is Miss DeHaven, and who is about 22 years of age, was assaulted by the two men who followed her off the car. Miss DeHaven put up a good fight for her safety and honor and at the same time used her lungs to good advantage, screaming lustily for help, until one of her assailants knocked her down and silenced her outcries.

About this time and before further indignity could be forced upon the girl, two Berkeley police officers, attracted by the girl's screams, came running to the rescue, whereupon the men took to their heels and escaped in the darkness, running in this direction.

The police gave chase but the fugitives got away, and the only description the officers have of them is that they were roughly dressed, like workingmen, and appeared to be either Germans or Swedes.

The Berkeley, Oakland and Richmond police are all working on the case, and hope to land the would-be ravishers in jail today. Miss DeHaven said the men did not attempt to rob her, but attempted to violate her person. She was hysterical and nearly dead from fright when the officers came back from their chase and escorted her to the police station and thence to her own home, which is at 1229 Poe street, Berkeley.

FRENCH NATIONAL HOLIDAY WILL BE CELEBRATED HERE

At the special request of Mayor Lane the News desires to call attention of the people of Richmond to a patriotic duty we all owe to the French people and nation.

Sunday, July 14, has been selected in the United States as the day on which a national tribute to France will be observed. The day is the French national holiday, and out of regard to the close affiliation of the two countries as allies in the war as well as historical connections and associations in the past, the day will be widely observed.

In Richmond preparations for the day are in charge of Mayor Lane assisted by Herman W. Tuller and others. Ministers of local churches will be asked to speak on the subject, and other observances of the day are to be made.

GROCER VIOLATES PLEDGE

Angello Sterano, a grocer out on San Pablo avenue, was found guilty of selling flour without the usual substitutes, and Food Administrator R. H. Ivroy made him close his place of business for 24 hours as punishment. Adn the next time it happens, but it probably won't, the guilty man will see the inside of a jail.

WAR GARDEN DRIVE IS NOW IMPORTANT

Contra Costa Foop Ship Must Sail This Fall For France

While the potatoes were growing, the War Garden Board has waited patiently for the Libery Bond drive, the Red Cross drive, the war savings stamp drive, baby welfare week, and the big Fourth of July carnival to play their star engag ements, and get off the stage long enough to give the War Garden movement a chance.

That time has now arrived, and the Board feels that it is the psychological moment to enlist all the people of Richomnd and Contra Costa county in htis very meritorious project.

This project is practical, it is one to help feed our soldier boys who are doing so much for us over there on the battle front. It can be done and it ought to be done. But, to fill a ship, is some big job, bigger that most people have any conception of, and the Board will need the help and cooperation of hundreds of people in this matter before it can be successfully carried through. And that is what we are calling for—that needed cooperation.

Wehave about fifteen acres of fine potatoes growing now, and are to gather up donations from every farmer and fruit grower in the county, of more potatoes, beans, dried fruits, etc. The candidates for office who are now flying all over the county and will be until fall, are to bring in this produce to Martines tnd Richmond, and later on it will be gathered up and loaded at the Richomnd wharf on to the vessel that will carry it to France.

We have the assurance of the Secretary of the Navy and others in high authority that a ship will be furnished if we will raise the cargo.

It has cost about $300 so far to put in these fifteen acres of potatoes, and we are about $200 in debt for that, the editor of the News standing good for this amount.

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WHAT THE NIGHT WIRES ARE SAYING ABOUT THE WAR

Washington, July 8.—Dispatches from various sources indicate that Germany may seize upon the murder of Ambassador Mirbach as the long hoped for opportunity to complete or attempt to complete another conquest in Russia.

Chicago, July 8.—Recalled at the eleventh hour, the Commercial Telegraphers' Union strike oredr to Western Union employes, was not effectice doday.

London, July 8.—Five German airplanes were grought to the ground today, and one British machine was lost in air battles, the air ministry announced this evening.

Washington, July 8.—When the senate met today, a demand was made that action be taken at once on the resoultion empowering the President to assume control of the telegraph lines of the nation.

CONTRA COSTA TO EXHIBIT AT LAND SHOW

There was a representative meeting of boosters at Martines yesterday, for the purpose of discussing the advisibility of this county having an exhibit at the big land show which is to be held at Oakland, commencing September 9 and running a month. Chamber of Commerce President Clark, Senator J. C. Owens, Attorney Alverado and F. J. Hulaniski were present from Richmond, and all sections of the county were represented.

It was decided that Contra Costa county could not afford to lag behind, inasmuch it is about the best county in the state, and that an exhibit should be placed which would bring to the million or more people who will visit the show the varied and wonderful resources of this county.

The meeting went before the Board of Supervisors and asked for an appropriation to help defray the expenses of such an exhibit. The Board took the matter under advisement until next Monday, when another meeting is to be held.

The Cowell Cement Co.., by W. H. Georges, manager, agreed to put in a fine exhibit of its Industry, and to contribute $300 toward general expenses besides, and it is thought that all the industries of the county will fall in line, both with exhibits and contributions.

Committees were appointed to confer with them, at the head of whom was placd Sheriff Veale.

Richmond will there, with bells on of course, and we trust the Supervisors may see their way clear to help, as it is a county affair.

CITY COUNCIL CHEWS ON THE MUNICIPAL RAG

$25,000 In State Highway Bonds To Be Sold—Department Officers Report —Routine Grind

The city council met in regular session, as usual, last night, with all members with exception of Hartnett present.

Good cigars were on tap, provided by Mayor Lane, out of appreciation for his re-election to the important office he so fittingly fills, and has filled in the past. As we got a couple of those cigars, we stand hitched, and cannot consistently say anything about Hizzoner—until of course, next time.

OFFICIAL REPORTS

Chief of Police

Chief Walker reported for the fiscal year ending June 31, 588 arrests were made, out of 755 complaints filed. Sonvictions, 376; fines collected $1826. For the month of June 43 arrests were made, and 30 resulted in convictions. Fines collected, $390.

Tax Collector.

Tax collector Marshall, for June had a very quiet month, and from all sources collected $4601.57, which amount was turned over to the treasurer.

Building Inspector

During month of June 18 building permits were issued for new buildings, value $29,430. Value of alterations to old buildings, $3110.

Police Judge.

Police Judge Odell reported 30 convictions in his court during the month of june, which covered most every small-scale crime man is in the habit of committing. Fines, as reported collected by Chief Walker, were $390.

Street Superintendent

Street Superintendent Chapman rported a total of $1126.49 expended on the streets of the city during June.

Health Department

Births in June were 14 girls and 10 boys, the ladies getting the best of it as usual. In June, 1917, 34 babies were born in Richmond.

Nineteen males fdied during the month of June, and in the same period, 4 females. Seven of the males were non residnts, and did in various accidnts. Three of the females were also non residents.

Fire Department

Fire Chief Lamoine's report showed that 17 alarms were responded to last month. During the year just closed, 122 alarms were turned in, a fire loss of $2015 to property was sustained, and to contents of buildings, $1400. Property to the value of $108,450 was jeopardized by fires in the fiscal year 1917-1918.

Social Service Bureau

Destitution seems to be on the decline in Richmond. In June the Social Service Bureau received a total of $85, and expendd on nine families that reuired assistance, the sum of $56.55, most of which went for roceries.

To Sell Highway Bonds

On motion it was decided to sell $25,000 worth of State Highway bonds held by the city to Rollins and Co., San Francisco, on commission of one-half per cent.

Pat O'Brien to be Guest of City

Pat O'Brien, Richmond's hero of worldwide fame will be the guest of the city part of Thursday, and will be met with a large delegation of citizens and city officials at the Sante Fe depot, on arrival of train No. 41. Judge Jacobs is general chairman of the reception committee and is outlining a program for the joint pleasure of Pat and Richmond.

Standard Oil Co. Box Factory

The Standard Oil company submitted plans for the big box factory to be constructed out at the plant. The plans were approved, and building permit granted.

Routine Happenings

The matter of clearing city lots of weeds was left to the tender mercies of the superintendent of sreets.

Bids for purchase of donkey engine for use at the municipal wharf were opened, and Murphy Bros., of

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Special Attractions for Today

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WANTED—Clean cotton rags at the News office for cleaning presses, etc. Good prices paid.

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All over America hundreds of towns and cities are having what they term "Clean-Up Week," and during that week every body who possibly can give stheir home or place of business a coat o f fresh paint. This would be a good plan for Richmond.

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THE TRAITORS IN WASHINGTON

The so-called contract commission agents who have been dealing with manufacturers, and obtaining fat commissions from them, on government contracts, are grafters who probably number thousands at this time. Even in times of peace, this smoothe variety of crooks finds much to do.

He poses as "standing in" with the powers that be in Washington, and gullible manfactorers and others are frequently inveigled into his net.

The law makes the manufacturer equally guilty with the grafter and by the time the present investigation is finished quite a number of merchants and manufacturers who have hitherto borne good reuptations will probably be wiser, though sadder and somewhat spotted.

Of course, many of these contractors have promptly added the commissions exacted of them by the grafters to the government's bill, since the government has not haggled over prices in its haste to get into the war.

What ought to be done with offenders of this character?

Here is the nation engaged in a life or death struggle, offering upon the altar of liberty unstintedly the flower of its citizenry, pouring out its treasure as it ought to be poured out when freedom itself is at stake, needing every atom of strength it can muster for the struggle, while here behind the lines a horde of disreputable leeches, vampires, hyenas and jackals are fattening upon the sacrifice of patriotic people.

What obligation rests upon a free government to show the slightest consideration to men of this stamp?

The current's of a nation's life must be poisoned almost to the point of death so long as the virus of such a strain of fiend courses through its blood.

Can they deserve the benefit of free institutions, can they deserve liberty? Do they deserve even to live?

Are the crooks in Washington engaged in this sort of business any better than any other sort of traitor? By depleting the war chest, are they not as surely engaged in murdering our soldiers as they would be if they were selling information to the enemy?

In time of war should they be treated merely as ordinary grafters? Ought not our laws be changed so as to properly denounce crimes like theirs in time of war so that adequate punishment might be administered?

No doubt many of their victims are guilty of no intentional wrong. Perhaps others were under the impression that government contracts could not be had except through "influence." The commission crooks generally try to impress their dupes with that idea.

One thing is sure. In view of the fact that the war is costing about all the people can earn above a simple livelihood, there should be no mercy shown these thieves. Washington is full of them. There would be no lack of breathing room there if these rascals were rounded up and put to work at hard labor or shot. Every moment of the war a sharp lookout should be kept for these enemies and their accomplices in the departments.

As humiliating as it is to have such a scandal as this to endure at a time when all the noblest traits of the nation are being manifested so richly, it is better to deal with it and go to the bottom than it is to conceal anything.

Don't be a drone, for there is no place in America for drones at the present time. Every man must buckle down to some kind of work.

Four German generals have just been retired on half pay, the idea probably being that half pay is about half what they have earned.

Married men given exemption from military service on dependency grounds will divorce their exemptions upon divorcing their wives. The village cutup is recognized to remark that they must choose one fight or the other.

One of the colonel's friends says he is a man who is not afraid to say what he thinks. Still, a man could be wholly courageous and still hesitate to think what the colonel says.

Now they tell us that the fourth liberty loan will carry 4 1-4 per cent. Washington does well to mention this forthcoming October reminder that we are at war, for the earnestness and prudence with which we prepare for it, the easier it will be to absorb.

Speaking for ourself, ablebodied heroes who can't wait until the war is over to Empy the people of the country at so much an Emp needn't think they are going to get their hooks on any simoleon in our custody.

'Sunshine Alley at the Richmond

As Nance Molloy in her newest Paramount picture, "Sunshine Alley," at the Richmond Theater today, Ann Pennington is introduced as a typical "alley rat," just as ready to plunge into a rough and tumble fight as she is to take care of her neighbor's baby. Her champion, Dan Lewis, is played by John Hines, while the role of McPherson Clark, the son of the rich man who turn out to be a villain, is interpjreted by Richard Barthelmess. Mr. and Mrs. Snawdor, two denizens of the alley who are prominent in the story, are played by Charles Eldridge and Helen Tracey. The story is an adaption of Alice Hegan Rices's well known "Calvary Alley."

When you happen to know a local news item of interest to anybody please bring it or phone it to the News. It's an awful job trying te keep track of everything and

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Representatives from the exposition have also been invited to be present. It is estimated by heads of the various organizations that $10,000,000 of industries from Contra Costa alone will be represented at the forthcoming exposition.

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Effective June 2nd trains from San Francisco as follows:

Leave San Fran.	Arrive Richmond	Arrive Martinez
6:00 a. m.	6:47 a. m.	
6:20	7:12	
6:20	7:22	8:22 a. m.
7:20	8:10	
8:00	8:48	9:50
8:20	9:17	10:00
8:40	9:30	
9:40	10:44	
10:20	11:17	
2:40 p. m.	1:39 p. m.	2:35 p. m
2:40	3:35	
4:00	4:55	5:32
4:40	5:34	6:45
5:00	5:56	
6:20	7:19	
6:40 ex. Sun	7:34	8:30
7:40 Sun only	8:36	9:50
8:20	9:22	
1:40	12:38 a. m.	1:30 a. m

Prncipal changes are that No. 16 is back on same schedule that it was six or eight months ago and leaves Richmond for Portland at 9:22 p. m., and Calistoga, Santa Rosa train leaves Richmond 5:34 p. m. A shipyard train will be put on Monday June 3rd and will be daily except Sunday, leaving Richmond 6:57 a. m., and return from shipyard arriving at Richmond 6:20 p. m.

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LABOR SHORTAGE IN PROSPECT

Possibility That Miners Will Have to Be Given a Deferred Classification.

FARM WORKERS ALSO SHORT

Situation in This Country Much Like That Which Faced Great Britain in the Early Days of the War.

Recently the fuel officials recommended to Secretary of War Baker that miners be given a deferred classification in the draft in order to prevent for the time being at least any further inroads into their ranks, as the records show that more than 19,000 union miners alone were taken in the first call. However, the secretary did not see fit to act upon this recommendation, with the result that the next call is going to take even a greater number and cause a sharp decrease in production at a time when the country needs every possible ton that can be taken out.

With this additional labor shortage in prospect the fuel officials are not inclined to be overly optimistic, for they cannot understand how the ever growing needs of industry are to be met unless some safeguard is thrown around the conservation of labor at the mines. They even go so far as to predict that eventually this shortage will become so acute unless the draft of miners is guarded by deferred classification that the United States will have to do what Great Britain was forced to do in the early days of the war, namely, withdraw miners and other trades from the army and send them back to their civil employment.

Agriculture is facing the same situation in this country by reason of neglect to draw up any definite instructions as to deferred classification for farm labor, with the result that the great agricultural sections of the West are in an uproar because the draft boards in many localities have been paying no attention whatever to the industrial claims of the farmers. That something must be done to rectify these menacing conditions within the near future seems to be the consensus of opinion among many of the leading officials at Washington.

CURRENT LABOR NOTES

Musicians at Belleville, Can., have organized.

Wages are rising rapidly in Japan's industries.

Laborers in Ireland now command $10 a week.

Wisconsin sawmills employ hundreds of girls.

Germany's textile workers demand a minimum wage.

This country now employs 150,000 ship yard workers.

In 1916 Germany had 240 strikes, affecting 124,183 workers.

Over a million workers are employed in British mines and quarries.

Ten of the eleven states having no workmen's compensation laws are in the South.

Wage increases of $2 to $4.50 a week have been negotiated by the Frisco Garment Cutters' union.

Toronto (Can.) metal spinners and soft metal workers have organized a union and will affiliate with the international.

Quarrymen of Bethesda, Wales, have applied for an extra allowance of sugar, owing to the arduous nature of their work.

In 1909 of the 47,231 employees in the cotton industry in North Carolina over 18 per cent were under sixteen years of age.

One hundred and fifty women have passed through the London (England) county council courses as inspectors of army canteens.

Power has been given to the agricultural board of Ireland to take possession of unoccupied lands and lands not properly cultivated.

The Pere Marquette railroad is making preparations to bring in a large number of southern United States negroes to train for the duties of firemen.

British women of Shanghai, China, have sent $5,000 to the Veterans' association toward the fund for establishing a national memorial for British soldiers and sailors.

A protest was sent to the Canadian minister of labor by Vancouver Trades and Labor council against the bringing of negroes from the United States by the C. P. R. for service on its dining cars.

Complete control of the fishing and fish canning industries on the Pacific coast has been invested by the federal food administrator in the state administrators of Washington, Oregon, California and Alaska.

Alexandria, Va., has a shipbuilding plant in active operation. The Alexandria Red Cross refreshment corps arranged a reception to the workers in the shipyards, in order to give the strangers and their families an opportunity to become acquainted with the townspeople.

An arbitration board has decided in favor of telegraphers employed by the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific railroad. The men were awarded hours of eight and ten a day, a 26-day month instead of the present thirty days, a week's holiday each year and overtime for Sunday work.

OF INTEREST TO LABOR

Galt (Canada) police have received a wage increase.

There are over 700 local trade union bodies in Australia.

Dakota farmers are uniting to eliminate the middleman.

Austria's trade union membership includes 30,000 women.

Women of Fife, Scotland, have agreed to provide the labor for harvesting the flax crop.

Sixty days' leave for farm work is being granted United States naval recruits at Providence, R. I.

Hotels have been commandeered in Sunderland, England, for the accommodation of shipyard laborers.

Over 100,000 laborers are to be imported into the United States from Porto Rico and the Virgin Isles.

Congressman Cooper of Ohio fitted himself for his present high position while working as a railroad man.

A regiment of stevedores is being recruited in this country to help relieve congestion at Atlantic ports.

Laundry girls of Kansas City, Mo., have won a shorter workday. The next fight will be for a living wage.

Two million women are working on farms in the United States, of whom 750,000 are under the age of twenty.

President Gompers is seeking an eight-hour day and fixed wage scale for shipbuilders in government plants.

Women workers in New York are combining to resist low war wages which they claim will be forced upon them.

During January 30,000 applied for work to the New York state bureau and posts were found for 8,000 of them.

New Westminster (Canada) school board this year increased teachers' salaries to the amount of $205,000 over last year.

The Brotherhood of American Locomotive Engineers has been asked to furnish 50 men for service on United States tanks.

A senate bill proposes that each government employee to whom a child is born should automatically have his pay increased.

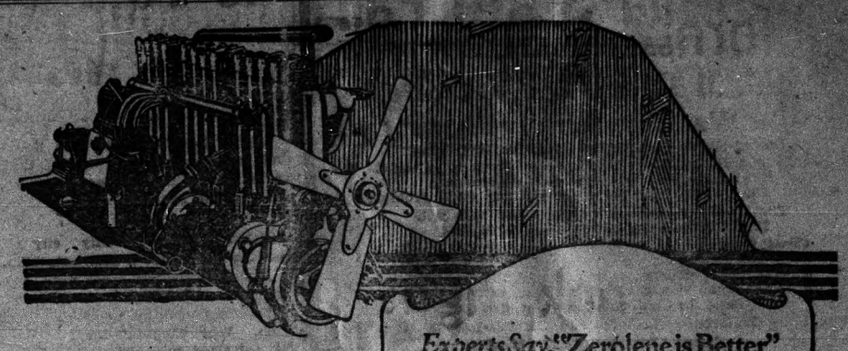
The average wage increase of 33 1-3 per cent asked by railroad men in this country would amount to $82,000,000 annually.

Following Maryland's example, the state of New York has passed a law compelling male idlers to turn their hands to useful work.

Every village school in New York state is to have a pig-raising class with 50 porkers. This means an additional 50,000 hogs in the state.

Timothy Shea, acting president of the Brotherhood of Firemen, claims that colored members of his organization are paid less than white men.

The Pittsburgh Upholsterers' union is conducting an organizing campaign among upholsterers, carpet layers, sewers and women employed in shops and stores.



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City Council Chews Municipal Rag

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Can Francisco were told to bring over their engine at the stipulated price of $1720.

Plumbing Inspector Wyat was granted a two week's leave of absence, for vacation purposes.

A communication was read from the Building Trades Council indorsing the request of the Municipal band for assistance during the coming fiscal year.

Bids for construction of dolphins at the municipal wharf were opened, and of the four submitted, that of J. D. Hanna, for $328.50 was the lowest, but no action war taken on the bide last evening.

Bids for construction of the water line to the dock will be called for at once, and opened July 22. Bids for castiron pipe will be called for.

Councilman Gerlach reported the old Leader buildin on Washington avenue to be in an unsanitary condition. The owner promised to clean it up at once.

Marshall H. Shackelford, field secretary of the National Rivers and Harbors Congres,s headquarters at Washington city addressed the council on the importance of the work the congress is doing, and asked for a contribution of $200 from the city, as a member of the congres, to be used to keep the good work goint. The request was filed for consideration.

If you want the news you will have to subscribe for the News.

WOMEN NOW IN INDUSTRY

One Writer Expresses the Opinion That There Are More Employed Than Need Be.

We will need women in industry, of that there can be no question. Do we need them now? My study does not indicate this, but it does indicate conclusively that later on we are going to need them in increasing numbers, and that now is the time to prepare and develop plans and policies, so that when we begin to utilize their abilities we will be able to proceed along logical, fair and well-determined lines.

The reason that we do not need women in industry now is simply because we are not using man power to the greatest extent possible, nor as efficiently as we can.

Let us discuss this question of man power for a moment. In our jails are men who could be put to work under guard either in industrial or agricultural pursuits. Elderly men who have retired, unless physically unable, could perform work of a light character in shops and offices. There is still in this country a greater degree of unemployment than is necessary and men who have nothing to do should be put to work. Tramps, street loafers and lounge lizards should be rounded up and put at productive occupations. Children from twelve to sixteen, both boys and girls, could be given something to do for part of their time each day. Workmen who take time off because of high earnings should be appealed to and kept busy, even if we have to resort to penalizing them for failure to report for work. Shifting of workers can be eliminated by joint action by labor unions, manufacturers' associations and the government.—Industrial Management.

Never.

We've noticed one thing. Spontaneous combustion never starts a fire in the kitchen stove.—Browning's Magazine.

Roller Bearings.

Ball bearings are a German invention, and it is only a comparatively few years ago that they made their appearance on the market. Roller bearings, both cylindrical and conical, are an American invention. The advantages claimed for the rollers over the balls are that they can sustain both the radical and the axial strain and they are more easily replaced when they become worn.

The New York city board of aldermen has introduced a law giving the employees of the street cleaning department the same advantages as well organized trade unions.

The Canadian government will not conscript men for farm labor under the military service act, but will take immediate steps to secure a registration and inventory of the man power of the Dominion.

Danbury (Conn.) hat manufacturers have refused the request of citizens to save the town from financial ruin by opening their factories under old conditions. The employers locked out their workers last May, when the latter asked that a contract be renewed.

A nation-wide weighing and measuring of babies and children of preschool age began April 6 to be followed by an educational campaign which it is hoped will diminish at least one-third the annual total of 500,000 preventable deaths of children under five years.

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TO WORKINGMEN AND BUSINESSMEN

BUILDING TRADES COUNCIL **CENTRAL LABOR COUNCIL**

Richmond, Dec. 20, 1917.
Editor "Richmond News"
Greeting:

"The Contra Costa County Building Trades Council assembled in regular session and in due appreciation of the fact that the "Richmond News" is favorable to the cause of Organized Labor, and has shown by its course and policies that such is the case requests of its members and all who are affiliated or friendly with Organized Labor in Richmond, that they subscribe for and become readers of the "Richmond News," thus giving it their moral and financial support. "The Building Trades Council also appreciates the advertising and other patronage given the "Richmond News" by the citizens and business men of Richmond as being deserved, and hopes to see that patronage largely increased for the coming the coming year of 1918.

J. A. SHAFFER, Pres.
J. O. DAHL, Sec.
(SEAL)

The Contra Costa Central Labor Council, in due appreciation of the fact that the Richmond Daily News is favorable to the cause of organized labor, and has shown by its course that such is the case, requests of its members, and all affiliated with organized labor in Richmond, that they subscribe for and become readers of the Daily News, thus giving its moral and financial support.

The Council also appreciates the advertising and other public patronage given the Daily News by the business men of Richmond, as being deserved and hopes to see that patronage largely increased for the coming year of 1918.

Richmond, Dec. 19, 1917.
Endorsed by Contra Costa Central Labor Council.
E. M. MINER, President.
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POLICE AFFAIRS QUIET

Not much doing in police circles, since everybody went to work there has not been much time or incentive for wrong doing. One D. E. Jameson was awfully drunk and dressed up and has been held in durance vile to sober up and pay a nice fine.

The Elcho Club, up and coming as usual, will give another of their popular jit dances Thursday evening.

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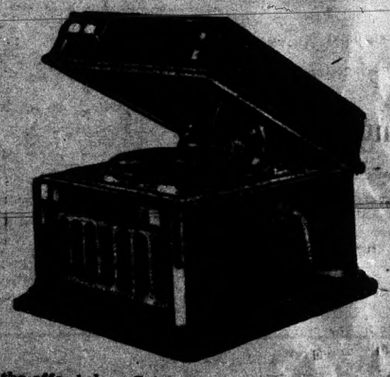

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Richmond is the only city in America where not a snigle clothing or gents furnishing store ever advertises in the local papers. It is no wonder people go to Oakland to trade. Why shouldn't they? They are not mind readers.

No sugar on the lunch counters now. The waiter puts one spoonful in your coffee, and no more. Never touched us! One is all we ever use.

We made Martinez yesterday, going up a 9 on a. m. train; took in city council meeting last night and one of the labor lodges, and then wrote up all of this newspaper —couldn't do such 20-hour stunts if we were not a young chap and full of pep.

When some of the soldiers get to the training camps the young ladies meet the train with good eats and kisses. Wanted job as soldier.

The Guth house out San Pablo way is nearing completion and is one of the prettiest bungalows in that section of the city.

The Adventists church holds regular meetings in Richmond now, and Mormon services are also held, in the north part of town, once a week. A fellow can get most any kind of religion he wants around here, and any of it is beter than none at all.

Steifvater and Pulse have taken to quoting prices on groceries, in the News, and the Big Store and Egan are doing likewise on dry goods. If all the merchants would do this the Oakland trade would soon be knocked silly.

The chamber of commerce has no secretary now, as Mr. Ames resigned and is on the road for a chatauqua circuit. Miss Angel is attending to routinee matters in the CC. of C. hall.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Ayers, 667 Fifteenth street, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Aine and Miss Glodys Stanley and Franklin Brooks are at Lake Tahone.

Yesterday there was quite a meeting of the boosters at Martines, for the purpose of arranging to make an exhibit at the big land show to be held in Oakland in September. Richmond will be very much in evidence.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Brown of Clinton Avenue, have been enjoying a visit from friends from the Dakotas.

Gus Winkler, Mr. Littlefield and half the other corporations are holding jobs with the corporations, nowadays, finding it more profitable than contracting. Wages are way up yonder and if the average workman is prudent he can save a bit of change now.

Miss Louise Esola, a local trained nurse, arrived in New York yesterday, ao do army service. Her brother Dave is also in the service.

Sam Jenkins, former postmaster, is quite ill at Long Beach, and his sister, Mrs. Brothers, is there looking after him.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Shields are newcomers in Richmond, from Taft.

Johnny O'Rourke, age 17, of Richmond, is now enroute to the front in the medical corps. He is our youngest soldier.

These dingbusted summer winds off the briay deep have our gracious permission to let up long enough for a fellow's hair to get a chance to lie down straight.

St. Marks ladies are arranging another of their entertaining whist parties for next Saturday, the 13th. They always have a good time and their gathering sare quite popular.

N. Tronoy, brother of L. Tronoy, of Albany, was killed on the French bzattle line a chorte ago, so the brother is informed. Such news must beexpected daily, from now on, which is the sad part of it all.

Th Leang and Ryan boys are presumed to be on their way across by this time, or will be soon. They have been in a Pennsylvania training camp, and Mrs. Lang has been there on a visit.

Martin Lewis is back from his farm in Yolo county. He will have a good srop of figs and other things.

John Nicholl was in from Oakland, looking after his banking intereests, and taking a squint oveh his harbor frontings. He contemplates improvements along the harbor in the near future.

Miss Burtcher is vacationing in Placer county, but will be home in time for the oepning of school, on August 19.

There was no ball gabe yesterday and the fans were given an opportunity to attend church. The evidence that they attended, howver, is lacking.

War Garden Drive Is Now Important

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A hundred different men here in Richmond have signed up for either a day's work or $3 in mony, and we want some help collecting that, and we want it right away, otherwise we will have to pay it out of our own pocket.

Also we want men and boys with hoes, right away, to do some work in these war gardens on the potatoes. The gardens are right there, and do not wait to b prodded up on your agreement. Go right out there with your hoe, or else come to this office and pay th $3. We have no time to hunt you up.

The women turned out last spring and helped cut the potatoes and worked like good fellows, but the men so far have fallen down very badly, although signed up to perform.

The people at Martinez and all over the county hav epromised to donate liberally, and now Richmond must doher part. What, friend reader, will you do? Will you give $3, or $2, or will you give a day's work, or half a day's work with a hoe?

The president, secretary and the treasurer have kept accurate rcords of everything, and at the proper time a list of all receipts and expenditures will be pubNshed, together with the names of everybody who helped.

In the name of our brave soldier boys, and of patriotism, the News now asks the people of this city and county to take an interest in this important matter, and not leave it all for one or two to do, for it can not be done in any such manner.

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LATE TELEGRAPH NEWS CONTINUED FROM PAGE ONE

of war, General Regosa, however, are expected to retain their offices.

LONDON, July 8.—Travelers from the Kiev district bring confirmation that 75,000 well armed revolutionists are marching on Kiev and that the Germans are retreating, said a Reuter dispatch from Moscow today.

Kiev is the capital of Ukrainia, and has been under German domination for some time.

MOSCOW REBELS ARE SHOT DOWN BY SCORES

LONDON, July 8.—Fragments of news from various sources indicate that the assassination of Count von Mirbach, the Boche ambassador to Russia, was accompanied by a formidable uprising against the Bolsheviki in Moscow.

A Russian wireless dispatch claims that the uprising hos been completely suppressed and the tone of the message indicates that the suppression was accomplisehd with a great deal of violence and blood shed, the orders being that all who showed resistance to the Bolsheviki should be "shot on the spot."

GERMANY HAS HER NERVE NOW, AS SHE USUALLY HAS

THE HAGUE, July 8.—A hitch has occurred in the Anglo-Grman negotiations for the exchange of prisoen as a esult of Geman pressure to obtain the release of three of her ablst submarine captains who are now held in Engling camps, with the view of using their ability to direct an atack on American shipping and transport service, is the rumor that that has leaked out from German sources.

Watson on Job All Over County

Our esteemed fellow townsman must be out on the job, as we find the following very nice sendoff in the Martinez Standard of last evening:

City Councilman H. O. Watson of Richmond is a candidate for Assemblyman in this district and is making a n active canvas of the county. Mh. Watson is an employe of the Standard Oil company and has been a resident of the manufacturing city for a number of years.

In announcing his candidacy for the office to which he is aspiring, Mr. Watson stated that he will work for the interests of the county at all times. He believes that much is to be ccomplished for the manufacturing and agricultural industries of the county.

Mr. Watson has the endorsemento of the dry forces of the county, and will advocate the adoption of the Shepherd national prohibition amendment. As a member of the city council of Richmond he has workde for the enactment of measures calculated to improve the moral conditions of the community. In his campaign for election to the office of councilman h polled a splendid vote and is confident that his home city will stand by him in his aspirations to represent this district in the lower house of the state legislature.

JAMES R. NESBITT DEAD

James R. Nesbitt died at the family home,, 524 Barrett avenue Sunday evening, and funeral services were held last evening from the Curry parlors, under direction of Rev. Calfee. he body will be taken to Petaluma this morning for interment, under auspices of the Eagles, of which deceased was a memeber. He was 62 years of age, and was born in Ireland. A numbre of relatives in this city, and at other points, mourn his death.

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CORONER

Bob Kirkpatrick Is a Benedict?

There is a happy but mysterious rumor floating around this little old town that Bob Kirkpatrick, popular member of the Richmond police force, is not the dashing, single fellow that he appears to be, and that in point of fact he is an old married man, and has been ever since last February. Now what do you know about that? Nothing? Well, we don't know much about it, either, but will tell you all we do know. The rumor is that Bob took unto himself a bride in February, in the person of Miss Hansen, a pretty young Richmond woman, and that they have been keeping it a secret al this time.

The News tried to locate Bob last night, but he was evidently in hiding,, so we called up the police station, and they did not know anything either, or were trying to shield their confederate—but they finally did confess that they had also heard such a rumor. We thought it was queer that a fine fellow like Bob could be everlastingly going around here in a state of single cussedness.

FOR SALE—We sell For Rent Cards, Furnished Room Cards, apply at Richmond News Office.

NOTICE TO VOTERS

A new and complete registration of voters is required by law during the year 1918.

Registration closes, for the purpose of voting at Municipal Elections in towns of the Sixth Class, on March 5, 1918; for the purpose of voting at August Primary Election, on July 27th, 1918; for the purpose of voting at the General Election, on October 5th, 1918.

No person shall be entitled to vote at any of the above elections unless he registers on or before the above dates.

You may register with the County Clerk or any of his deputies.

Dated February 1st, 1918.

J. H. WELLS,
County Clerk of Contra Costa County.

The following named persons are Registration Deputies:
A. C. Faris, Chief Deputy, City Hall, Richmond.
Mrs. Mary D. Neill, 154 Washington Ave., Richmond.
George E. Drew, 114 Washington Ave., Richmond.
I. R. Vaughn, 620 Macdonald Ave., Richmond.
L. J. Thole, 1928 Macdonald Ave., Richmond.
Mrs. Florilla M. Brown, Stege Branch Library, Richmond.
Miss Nannie L. Nesbit, 621 Bissell Ave., Richmond.
J. A. Deadrich, City hall, Richmond.
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